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## PRESIDENT DAVIS HONORED BY SOUTH

100th Anniversary of Beloved  
Leader of Confederacy  
is Celebrated.

ATTESTS OF HIS  
LOFTY CHARACTER

Montgomery Marks Historic  
Spot Where He Guided the  
Lost Cause During Struggle  
of Civil War—His  
Birthplace in Kentucky  
and Home in Mississippi  
Honor the Man.

By Associated Press.  
Atlanta, June 3.—Honor was paid  
the memory of Jefferson Davis, all  
over the south today, the one hundred  
anniversary of his birth.

At Montgomery, Ala., (the cradle of  
the Confederacy) and where the Confederate  
government was first organized,  
with Jeff Davis as president, ceremonies  
were held, consisting of marking  
the spots where Davis was elected,  
where he was inaugurated, where his  
first office as president was situated,  
and the site of the first headquarters  
of the new government. Later permanent  
markings will be placed on these  
historic spots.

## ALLISON WILL GO TO SENATE FROM IOWA

By Associated Press.  
Des Moines, Iowa, June 3.—Returns  
from Tuesday's primary that  
are complete in nearly all of the  
counties of the state, tonight indicate  
that Iowa Republicans nominated William  
B. Allison for reelection to the  
United States senate. The majority  
conceded is at least 10,000.

## MOROS KILL EXPERTS IN DEEP REVENGE

By Associated Press.  
Manila, June 3.—News that Harry  
Ickis, a government mining expert,  
and companion were killed by Moros  
on April 1, while asleep in a hut, has  
just been received. Ickis was engaged  
in geological survey work and was  
accompanied by one guard.

## DELEGATES UNINSTRUCTED.

San Juan, P. R., June 3.—The democratic  
convention of Porto Rico today  
elected H. P. Leake, H. F. Shaffer,  
C. F. Hill, J. B. Ratanan, Joseph E.  
Userra and O. Lopez, delegates to the  
democratic national convention to be  
held at Denver in July.

## Warships Alabama & Maine Are Deflected from Cruise

By Associated Press.  
San Francisco, June 3.—Next Monday  
the battleship Maine and Alabama  
classified as a special service  
squadron will sail for Hampton Roads  
by way of Honolulu and points be-  
yond. They are the first vessels to  
be deflected from the Atlantic fleet  
and will make the cruise home in advance  
of the flagship Connecticut and  
the others, arriving at Hampton  
Roads on October 22. The fleet

## BRYAN ENDS HIS NEBRASKA TRIPS

Made 42 Speeches, Devoting  
Himself Chiefly to Weak-  
ness of Aldrich-Vreeland  
Currency Measure Just  
Passed by Congress.

By Associated Press.  
Omaha, Neb., June 3.—The week's  
speech-making tour of William Jen-  
nings Bryan, through northern and  
western portions of Nebraska, ended  
with a rear platform speech at Col-  
umbus, late this afternoon.

## YACHT RACE TO BERMUDA

Six Yachts Get Away From  
Marblehead, Mass., With  
Excellent Weather Condi-  
tions and Good Winds—  
Dervish and Zuhrah Are  
Leading.

By Associated Press.  
Marblehead, Mass., June 3.—Six  
yachts got away today in the Marble-  
head to Bermuda race. The weather  
conditions were excellent. The racers  
are divided into two classes, class B  
including craft over 70 feet and less  
than 80 feet, and racing length, and  
class C, for yachts exceeding 50 feet  
and less than 70 feet. The boats were  
reported abreast at Highland Light,  
Mass., at three o'clock with the "Der-  
vish" leading by about a mile, with  
all yachts about 15 miles off shore.

## NEGRESS SHOOTS ITALIAN AND KILLS SELF

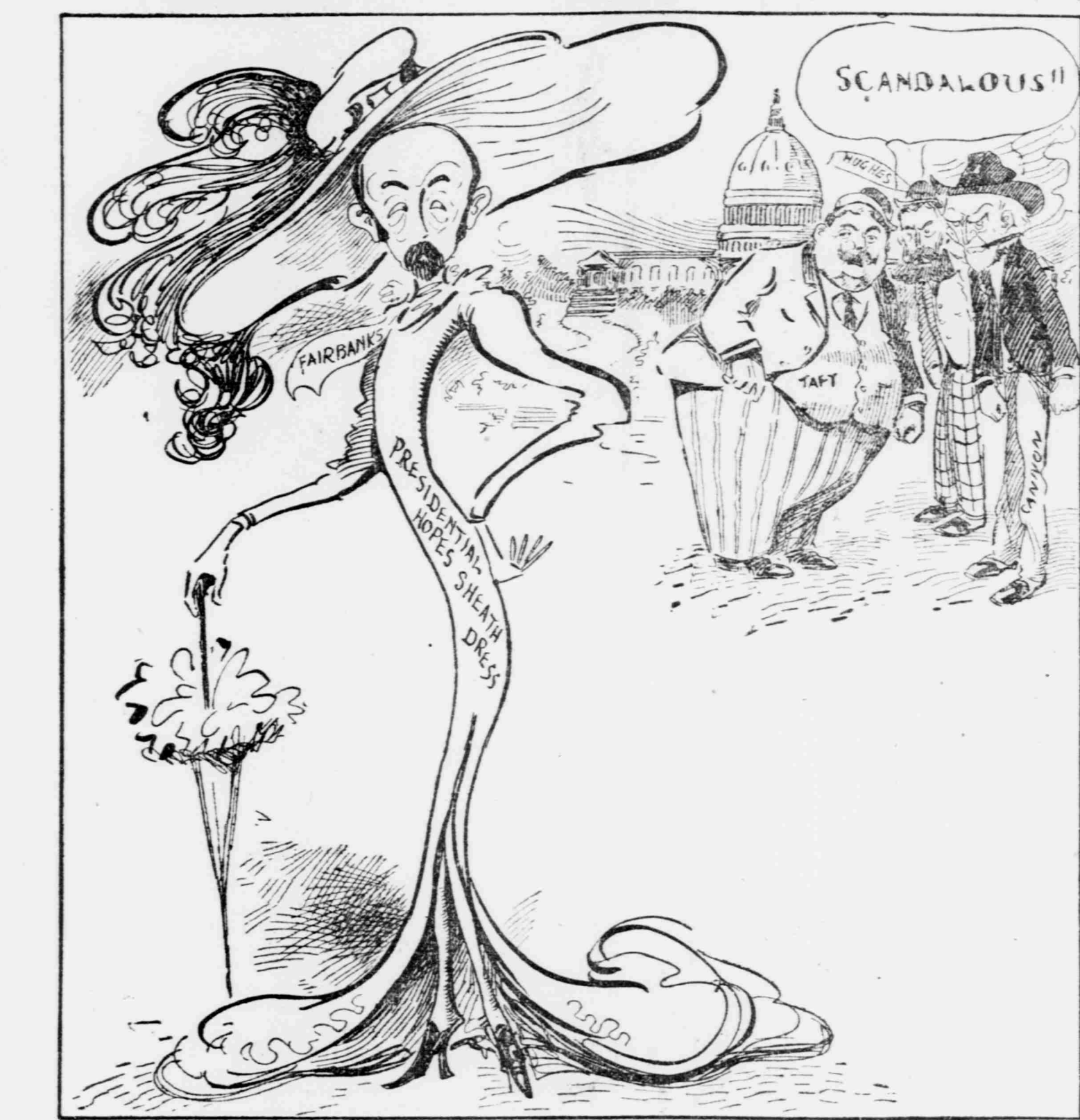
By Associated Press.  
Savannah, Ga., June 3.—Ida May  
Gordon, a negro woman, today shot J.  
Astarito, an Italian, through the  
lungs at his room, and, thinking she  
had killed him, went to her sister's  
home nearby, where she shot herself  
through the heart, dying immediately.  
Astarito will recover.

## Maryland Goes Not Instructed

By Associated Press.  
Baltimore, June 3.—Delegates to  
the national convention were se-  
lected, and a platform adopted by the  
Democratic state convention here to-  
day. The platform makes no men-  
tion of William Jennings Bryan for  
the presidential nomination. The fol-  
lowers of Bryan have been demanding  
the delegation sent to Denver, but  
only four sure Bryan men among 16  
delegates were chosen.

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of the flagship Connecticut and  
the others, arriving at Hampton  
Roads on October 22. The fleet



Latest Paris creation, the Sheath Dress, proves embarrassing to some figures.

## PUPILS FAINT WITH HUNGER IN SCHOOLS

Pitiful Conditions of Pupils  
of East Side Schools in  
New York Call for Imme-  
diate Relief—Public Kitch-  
ens to Feed Children Are  
Established.

By Associated Press.  
New York, June 3.—Emergency  
measures for the relief hundreds of  
pupils of East Side schools, who have  
been found to be suffering from lack  
of food, have been adopted by com-  
mittee of the East Side school board  
members, organized as a result of se-  
rious conditions which reports of the  
school principals in that section re-  
vealed.

A committee decided today to ar-  
range for a speedy opening of two  
kitchens on the lower East Side at  
which hungry children may be fed.  
That the report adversely made pub-  
lic, hardly painted the black condi-  
tions, black enough, was the state-  
ment made today by Isidore M. Levy,  
chairman of the third school district.  
"The investigation," said Levy,  
"has shown that many destitute fam-  
ilies have sent their little ones to  
school without having given them  
food for 48 hours. To my personal  
knowledge, several children have  
fainted while they were reciting in  
classrooms."

## HEARST JURORS TO GET EXTRAPAY

Men Who for Nine Weeks  
Have Been Busy Hearing  
Count of Ballots May Re-  
ceive Good Bonus by Spe-  
cial Legislation.

By Associated Press.  
New York, June 3.—It is announced  
that Justice Lambert, who is trying  
the case of William R. Hearst against  
Mayor McClellan, in which the votes  
cast in the last majority election  
are being counted, has asked Gov-  
ernor Hughes to recommend that a  
special session of the legislature that  
a special appropriation be made un-  
der which the jurors who are hear-  
ing the evidence may be allowed ex-  
tra compensation for their duties. One  
of the jurors has lost his employment  
since the opening of the trial nine  
weeks ago, and another's business has  
seriously suffered from neglect for so  
long a period it is said.

## PROMOTED; ARRESTED; KILLS SELF

Receiving Teller of Bank  
Could Not Conceal Dis-  
crepancy After Promotion  
—Excused From Court  
Room He Wrote Confess-  
ion and Committed Suicide

By Associated Press.  
New York, June 3.—When question-  
ed about an apparent discrepancy in  
his accounts, Chas. T. Muir, paying  
telling of the Forty Second Street  
branch of the Corn Exchange bank,  
asked to be excused until he could ob-  
tain a deposit ticket to explain the  
matter, went to the basement, and,  
after writing a brief confession, shot  
himself in the head. He died within  
an hour.

## PROHIBITION IN ARKANSAS

Democratic Platform Asks  
Legislature to Pass Nec-  
essary Laws to Place Ques-  
tion Before the People in  
1909 Elections.

By Associated Press.  
Little Rock, Ark., June 3.—After  
adopting a platform which embodies  
in a large measure the ideas advanced  
by George W. Donaghey, democratic  
nominee for governor, on state issues,  
together with a compromise plank on  
the subject of statewide prohibition,  
asking the next legislature to pass  
such laws as are necessary to cause  
the liquor question to be submitted to  
the vote of the people in 1909, the  
democratic state convention adjourned  
tonight.

## LAW WILL HANG INNOCENT MAN

So Claims Prisoner 'Whose  
Plea for Clemency Was  
Declined by Governor of  
Missouri.

By Associated Press.  
St. Louis, June 3.—"I shall go to  
the scaffold if God gives me strength,  
protesting my innocence. I am ready  
to meet my Maker, and it will not  
be long until others in the plat against  
me will follow. The fact that the  
man who first arrested me has com-  
mitted suicide is evidence that retribu-  
tion has started."

## AMERICAN MONOPOLY OF COTTON IS STRONG

## CARES FOR HIS VICTIM'S CHILD

Man Who Killed Yaqui In-  
dian Takes Baby Boy to  
America and Will Have  
Him Properly Educated in  
This Country.

By Associated Press.  
San Francisco, June 3.—Bringing  
with him a little three-year-old Yaqui  
Indian, whose father and possibly  
whose mother he killed in a recent  
uprising in the Sonoras, William J.  
Partridge, a wealthy miner, arrived  
here yesterday.

By Associated Press.  
Enid, Okla., June 3.—Mother's  
dam, one mile west of  
Enid, broke last night, driving  
200 people from their homes  
and flooding residences. Heavy  
rains preceded the breaking  
of the dam. Fifty bridges are  
washed out in Garfield county.

## HOTEL COMMITTEES ARE SYSTEMATIZING THE WORK

## BLANCHARD IS REFUSED SEAT

Louisiana Democratic Con-  
vention Refuses National  
Committeeman and Form-  
er Governor Recognition—  
He Will Not Be Delegate  
to National Convention.

By Associated Press.  
Baton Rouge, La., June 3.—The  
Democratic state convention met to-  
night and after a brief speech by a  
temporary chairman took a recess un-  
til about midnight during which in-  
terval contests were heard. National  
committeeman from Louisiana, N. C.  
Blanchard, who has just retired as  
governor, lost his seat in the conven-  
tion, for which he was contesting as  
representative of Caddo Parish. The  
entire delegation opposing the form-  
er governor was seated defeating his  
chances for selection as one of the  
delegates at large to Denver.

## HALF HOLIDAY WILL COMMENCE

Stores of the City Will Be  
Closed Hereafter on Fri-  
day Afternoons.

Tomorrow will witness the first of  
the series of summer half holidays  
to be inaugurated as usual by the  
local stores, and hereafter until the  
close of the summer months, Pensa-  
cola stores will be closed on every  
Friday afternoon.

## LIQUOR DEALERS HELD A MEETING

Liquor dealers in Pensacola, or at  
least a number of them, held a meet-  
ing Tuesday afternoon in room No. 2  
of the Merchants' hotel at which  
were not only present liquor dealers  
of this city, but also Mr. Rosenheim,  
of Jacksonville.

## AMERICAN MONOPOLY OF COTTON IS STRONG

International Congress Ad-  
journs, European Dele-  
gates Recognizing Great  
Strength of American Mo-  
nopoly of Output—An Im-  
portant Resolution.

By Associated Press.  
Paris, June 3.—The International  
Cotton Congress finished its labors to-  
day, and adjourned to meet in Italy in  
1909, either at Milan or Rome, the  
place and date to be decided upon  
later.

One of the most important resolu-  
tions adopted by congress was the in-  
viting of all confederated associations  
in various countries interested in cot-  
ton, to join in a harmonious curtain-  
ment during the periods of distress  
arising from over or under production.

By Associated Press.  
200 PEOPLE FLEE  
FROM BROKEN DAM  
Enid, Okla., June 3.—Mother's  
dam, one mile west of  
Enid, broke last night, driving  
200 people from their homes  
and flooding residences. Heavy  
rains preceded the breaking  
of the dam. Fifty bridges are  
washed out in Garfield county.

Meeting Held Yesterday and  
Future Work Was Map-  
ped Out.

10 PER CENT MUST  
BE PAID AT ONCE

Meeting is to Be Held To-  
morrow Night to Elect Di-  
rectors—Charles Hervey  
Returns to Mobile Much  
Pleased With the Spirit  
of Pensacola Citizens.

Pensacola has proceeded to get  
characteristically busy on her half  
million dollar hotel project, and the  
committee work which has already  
been accomplished together with the  
enthusiasm which has been evident  
throughout the city during the past  
thirty-six hours, has been satisfactory  
indeed for those who are interested  
in a "Greater Pensacola." Successful  
committee meetings took place yester-  
day, when matters were considered  
from the standpoint of business men  
who were aware of the fact that one  
of the important epochs in the history  
of the city had arrived, and that  
time, for a few days at least, is to  
be the essence of the contract.

Charles B. Hervey was the busiest  
man about town until noon, when, by  
 dint of real exertion, and through an  
effort which was really strenuous, he  
finally evaded his Pensacola admirers,  
and succeeded in making the noon  
train for Mobile.

Hervey is Congratulated.

The Mobile man, of Bienville and  
Cawthon fame, was kept busy yester-  
day receiving the congratulations of  
those who had been identified with  
the effort, and by those who wished  
to learn more of the details surround-  
ing the big hostelry. At the Osceola  
Club, where he was entertained by  
some of the members, he was made  
to talk upon the all-absorbing question  
again and again, and there was no  
interested listener more engrossed in  
the proposition than was Charles B.  
Hervey himself. He always proved  
ready, in fact, to answer any question  
which might be put to him on the sub-  
ject, and to answer it in detail. "I  
expect to spend at least one half of  
my time in Pensacola," he remarked,  
"and when business interests necessi-  
tate my absence, either one or both  
of my brothers will be the city to  
look after the hotel." The news that  
Mr. Hervey is to identify himself with  
the city and its interests aside from  
the hotel proposition is a fact well  
accepted by those who have met him  
and have become impressed with his  
evident qualifications as a first-class  
business man, and a desirable citizen.

Getting Things in Shape.

The subscription committee, of  
which F. F. Ringham is chairman, and  
which is composed of J. C. Watson,  
Henry Yonge, Malcolm Yonge, Henry  
Hyer, and the chairman, met in a  
five hour session yesterday, when the  
first work was accomplished toward  
the establishment of a systematic  
working basis. The situation as re-  
gards finances, was carefully consid-  
ered from the standpoint of men  
already duty it will be to put the first  
spoke in the wheel of the success  
which is already assured in the hotel  
matter. The first thing to be consid-  
ered was the arranging of the names  
of the two hundred and fifty subscrib-  
ers in alphabetical form, in order that  
the work might be commenced intel-  
ligently. The list was accordingly di-  
vided among the committeemen,  
whose duty it will be to see that all  
subscribers shall pay the required ten  
per cent of subscription, before Fri-  
day night, in order that they may be  
qualified to vote in the meeting of  
stockholders which is to occur in the  
twent building on that evening and at  
which the election of directors will  
take place. The members are working  
rapidly, and those who talked of the  
matter to a representative of The  
Journal last night saw no reason  
why the matter should not be en-  
tirely cleared up before Friday. A  
most commendable spirit of prompt-  
ness, in fact, has been shown during  
the short time which has elapsed since  
the situation has arrived at its pre-  
sent magnitude, and there has been a  
general inclination evident among  
the subscribers to facilitate matters  
in this direction, and in every way  
possible.

To Prepare the Notes.

Another feature of the work which  
is before the subscription committee  
is that of preparing six sets of notes  
which are to be used in the payment  
of the remaining ninety per cent de-  
ferred payments. Five per cent of which  
is to be taken up in one month, 5 per  
cent in two months, and 5 per cent  
in three, 25 per cent in six months,  
25 per cent in nine months, and 25  
per cent in twelve months. With a  
list embracing in the neighborhood of  
250 subscribers it will be readily seen  
that the task of systematizing is no  
inconsiderable one. The offices of  
the Southern States Lumber Company,  
in fact, which were the scene of yester-  
day's activity along the hotel propo-  
sition, were filled throughout a ma-  
jor portion of the day with men who  
thought earnestly as they worked, and  
who accomplished more toward the  
desired goal of getting matters in good  
working order than can at first be  
estimated. The next two days will

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